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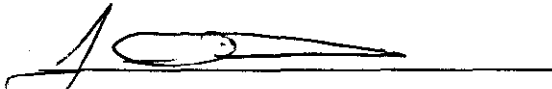
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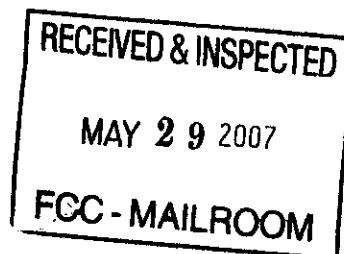
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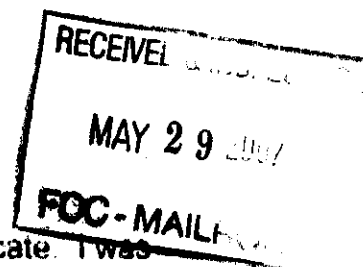
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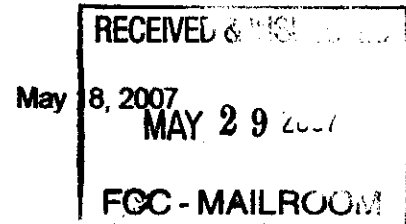
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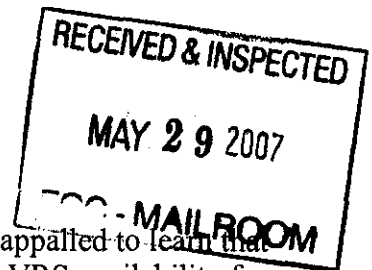
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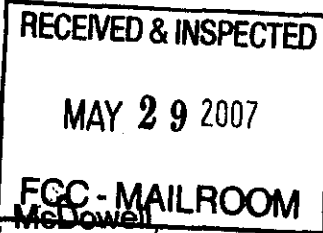
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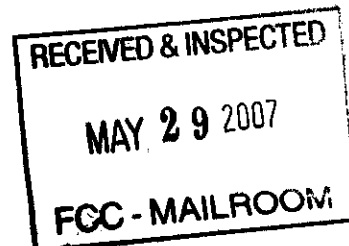
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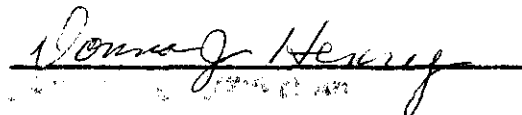
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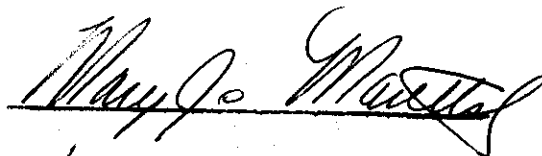
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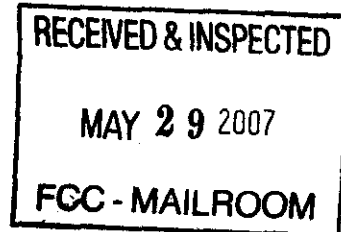
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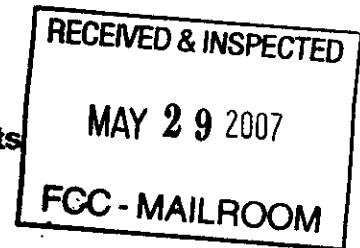
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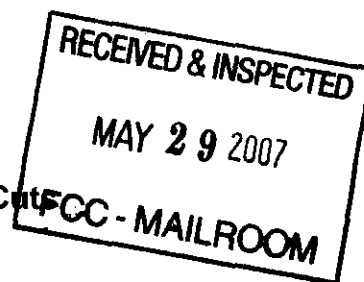
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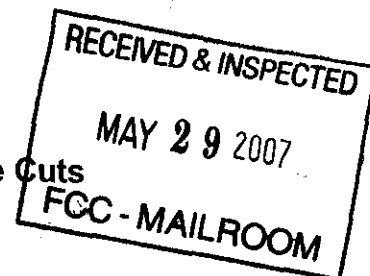
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Signature

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Printed Name

Address

City

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Zip

Email

Conrad Forcht

2208 NE 10th St

Vancouver

Washington

98686

May 07

Federal Communications Commission (FCC)  
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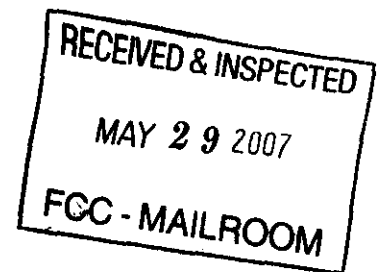
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FORCHT, Trenda L  
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WA  
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May 20, 2007

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Eric J. Albro  
One of the VRS Users  
5808 N. 114<sup>th</sup> St.  
Milwaukee, WI 53225-2304

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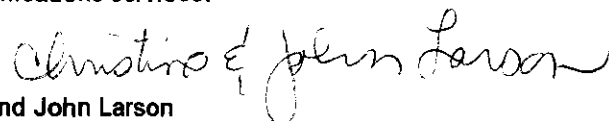
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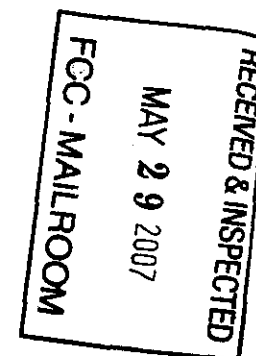
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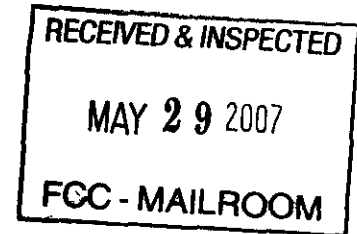
Christine and John Larson  
4104 n summercrest lp  
Round rock, TX 76871

♣ Chrissy



May 25, 2007

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*Pat Powers*  
405 Rosier Rd.  
Brandon, FL 33510-3019

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*Anthony V. Bellizzi*

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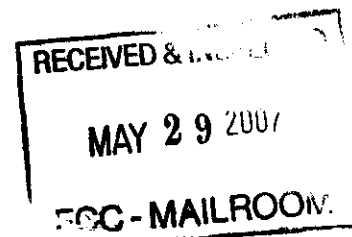
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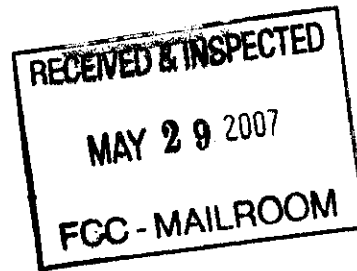
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Christiane M. Warren

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William Elpper  
4000 Parkstone Lane  
Elk Grove, CA 95758

Cc: National Association of the Deaf



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